

Road Maintenance in Your Area

Speed Cushion Replacement

St Benedict Road, Snodland



When we plan to carry out the work and how long it will take

This is to let you know that, as part of the on-going maintenance and improvement of the highway network, Kent County Council will be working in **St Benedict Road**, between **Constitution Hill and Snodland Road**. We will refurbish the speed cushions following the carriageway surface treatment.

These speed cushion replacement works are programmed to start on the **29th January 2024** and should take up to **5 days** to complete. These activities will be undertaken during a **working window** between the hours of **09:00 and 15:00**.

This type of work can be affected by bad weather, so if it is not possible for us to carry it out at this time, we will arrange a new date and let you know via a letter drop to your home. We will also put-up signs along the road, before we start, showing the date we plan to start work.

During these essential works it will be necessary to close the road completely so that we can carry out the works safely for both the workforce and road users. The diversion route will be via Constitution Hill, Birling Road The Groves and Snodland Road.

What we plan to do

We are returning to remove the preformed speed cushion units previously installed. There is evidence that these unit have become unsuitable and do not appear suitable for this particular carriageway. The preformed units will be removed, for use elsewhere and the road will be milled to receive a new 'macadam' speed cushion. These works are relatively simple, and we will work progressively throughout the road until all speed cushions are reinstated keeping noise and disruption to a minimum.

How you can help

It is inevitable that residents and businesses near the works will experience some disruption, but we will try to keep these to a minimum. Any pavements will remain open at all times, but vehicle access to properties will need to be restricted for a short period while work is carried out in front of each property. If you have any particular access needs, please let the workforce on site know.

We need your help to make sure the work is done as quickly as possible and to the best possible quality.

If your vehicle is usually parked on the carriageway, please make sure you park it somewhere else away from the site whilst the works are carried out, so the road is clear for us to complete these works activities.

How to contact us

If you need more information, you can visit our website www.kent.gov.uk/resurfacingupdates to view our programme & updates, to find out how we look after the roads throughout Kent or report any faults you find on our roads. You can also view our diversion/permit details at www.one.network. Alternatively, you can call us on **03000 41 81 81**.

For your safety and the safety of our workforce, please drive carefully and slowly through the roadworks.

WARNING – Beware Bogus Callers

Kent County Council Highways, Transportation and Waste do not allow works to be carried out on private properties. If anyone says they are working for us or our specialist contractors and offer to carry out any work for cash, they should be treated with caution. We advise you to contact Citizen's Advice on 03444 111 444 (Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm)